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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAXATION OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY PROPERTY AND UTILITY
DEPOSITS FOR BUSINESS CUSTOMERS."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) The Secretary of the Office
4 of Policy and Management shall select by competitive bid a
5 telecommunications company with which to enter into a master lease
6 agreement for the purpose of siting, installing and operating
7 telecommunications towers on state property and managing tower
8 space licenses. In selecting such company, the secretary shall consider
9 (1) the company's experience and financial capability, (2) the scope of
10 the company's telecommunications coverage plan, (3) the design of the
11 telecommunications towers, and (4) the revenue to be generated for the
12 state. Any tower site included in the master lease entered into
13 pursuant to this section shall be approved by the Connecticut Siting
14 Council pursuant to chapter 277a of the general statutes."